



National Veterans Creative Arts Festival

Artists' Schedule

Monday, October 17 – Day 1

ALL DAY	Arrival of participants and staff
12:00 Noon – 9:00 p.m.	Registration Renaissance Hotel – Ballroom Level
5:30 p.m.	Team leaders meeting – O'Hare Room (Ballroom Level)
7:00 p.m.	Opening Ceremonies – Ballrooms A, B, C, D
8:00 p.m.	Opening meeting: Introductions, announcements, team meetings – Ballrooms A, B, C, D

Tuesday, October 18 – Day 2

7:00 – 8:30 a.m.	Breakfast – Ballrooms C, D
8:30 a.m.	Team leaders meet with artists
8:45 a.m.	Depart for VA Medical Center
9:15 a.m.	Artists Interaction Session – VAMC, Auditorium
11:45 a.m.	Return to hotel
12:30 p.m.	Lunch for Artists – Ballrooms C, D
1:30 – 4:30 p.m.	Art Workshop #1: Caricature Drawing – Stapleton Room (Atrium Level)
5:30 – 6:45 p.m.	Dinner – Ballrooms C, D
7:00 – 9:00 p.m.	Caricature Drawings – Gatwick (Atrium Level)
9:30 – 11:00 p.m.	Karaoke/Social Time – National Room (Atrium Level)

Wednesday, October 19 – Day 3

7:00 – 8:30 a.m.	Breakfast – Ballrooms C, D
8:00 a.m.	Team leaders meet with Katy Ryan – Stapleton Room (Atrium Level)
8:30 a.m.	Team leaders meet with artists
9:00 a.m.	Load bus/Depart for Denver Art Museum



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Wednesday, October 19 – Day 3 (cont.)

10:00 a.m.	Tour Denver Art Museum
12:00 Noon	Return to hotel
12:30 – 1:30 p.m.	Lunch for artists – Ballrooms C, D
1:30 – 3:30 p.m.	Art Workshop #2: Chinese Calligraphy – Stapleton Room (Atrium Level)
3:00 – 5:00 p.m.	Caricature Drawings – Gatwick Room (Atrium Level)
4:45 p.m.	Load buses/Depart hotel for Country Dinner Playhouse
6:00 – 10:00 p.m.	Dinner Theater at Country Dinner Playhouse – Denver (musical “ <i>Ain’t Misbehavin</i> ”)
10:00 p.m.	Return to hotel

Thursday, October 20 – Day 4

7:00 – 8:30 a.m.	Breakfast – Ballrooms C, D
8:00 a.m.	Team leaders meet with Katy Ryan – Stapleton Room (Atrium Level)
8:30 a.m.	Team leaders meet with artists
9:30 – 11:30 a.m.	Depart for Leanin’ Tree Museum of Western Art and Sculpture Garden – Boulder
12:00 – 3:00 p.m.	Lunch and tour of Celestial Seasonsings – Boulder
3:00 p.m.	Load buses/Depart for hotel
5:30 – 6:45 p.m.	Dinner – Ballrooms C, D
7:00 – 9:00 p.m.	Art Workshop #3: HHV Craft Workshop – Stapleton Room (Atrium Level)
8:00 – 10:00 p.m.	Ice Cream Social/Caricaturist – Ballrooms A, B
9:00 – 11:00 p.m.	Karaoke and Talent/Social Time – Ballrooms A, B



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Friday, October 21 – Day 5

7:00 – 8:30 a.m.	Breakfast – Ballrooms C, D
8:00 a.m.	Team leaders meet with Katy Ryan – Stapleton Room (Atrium Level)
8:30 a.m.	Team leaders meet with artists
9:00 a.m. – 12:00 Noon	Art Workshop #4: Collage Stapleton Room (Atrium Level)
12:00 Noon	Lunch – Ballrooms C, D
1:30 – 4:30 p.m.	Completion of artwork projects – Stapleton Room (Atrium Level)
1:30 p.m.	Depart for Cherry Creek Shopping and Gallery District
3:30 p.m.	Return to hotel
5:30 – 6:45 p.m.	Dinner – Ballroom C, D
7:00 – 8:00 p.m.	Slide Presentation of the Military Combat Experience entries from the 2005 National Art Competition – Gatwick Room (Atrium Level)
7:00 – 9:00 p.m.	Completion of artwork projects – Stapleton Room (Atrium Level)

Saturday, October 22 – Day 6

7:00 – 8:30 a.m.	Breakfast – Ballrooms C, D
8:30 a.m.	Team leaders meet with Katy Ryan – Stapleton Room (Atrium Level)
9:00 a.m.	Team leaders meet with artists
9:00 – 11:00 a.m.	“Meet the Artists” – Hospitality Room (Room 301, 3 rd Floor)
11:30 a.m.	Lunch – Ballrooms C, D
12:30 p.m.	Depart for Red Rocks
1:30 – 4:30 p.m.	Red Rocks Park, Ampitheater and Museum
5:00 p.m.	Depart for hotel
7:00 – 9:00 p.m.	Gala Dinner – Ballrooms A, B, C, D
9:00 – 10:30 p.m.	Special Entertainment – Ballrooms A, B, C, D



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Sunday, October 23 – Day 7

8:00 – 11:00 a.m.	Brunch – Ballrooms C, D
9:30 a.m.	Interfaith Service – O'Hare Room (Ballroom Level)
10:30 a.m.	Team leader meeting – O'Hare Room (Ballroom Level)
11:00 a.m.	Team leaders meet with artists
11:30 a.m.	Depart for University of Denver
12:30 – 1:45 p.m.	Artists at Art Exhibit – Joy Burns Plaza
2:00 – 4:30 p.m.	Stage Show Performance – Gates Concert Hall
5:00 p.m.	Depart for hotel
6:30 p.m.	Closing Celebration Dinner and Remarks – Ballrooms A, B, C, D
9:30 p.m.	Entertainment and dancing – Ballrooms A, B, C, D

Monday, October 24 – Day 8

6:00 – 9:00 a.m.	Breakfast – Ballrooms C, D
ALL DAY	DEPARTURES